IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appln. No:

10/583,105

Applicants:

Nadarajah Narendran et al.

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Title:

High Efficiency Light Source Using Solid-State Emitter and Down-

Conversion Material

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Examiner:

Sharon E. Payne

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STATUS REQUEST

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The status of the above-identified application is respectfully requested.

The above-referenced application has a 35 U.S.C. § 371 filing date of April 23, 2007, however, to date we have not received a First Office Action.

Applicants mailed this application to the USPTO on June 15, 2006; but a Notification of Missing Requirements was not mailed until March 29, 2007, after Applicants submitted a status request on February 22, 2007. As a result of the delayed mailing of the Notification of Missing Requirements, this application received a Date of Completion of all 35 U.S.C. 371 Requirements of April 23, 2007.

This application is also the parent application of CIP Application Serial No. 11/642,089 which had a first OA on May 28, 2008.

In view of the above facts, Applicants respectfully request that the examination of this application be advanced to an earlier date on the Examiner's docket.

Respectfully submitted,

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